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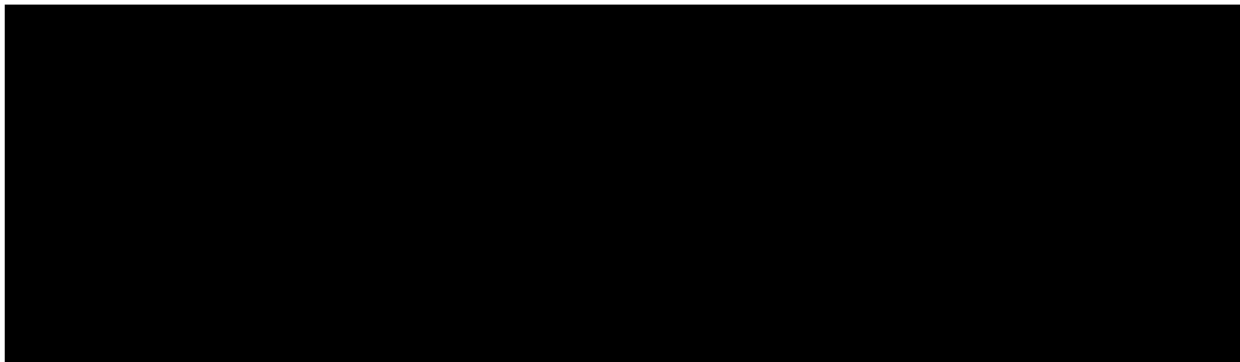
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Operations

SUBJECT: Ad Hoc Requirements Committee  
Requirements for the KLYUCHI Mission

1. Principal interest in the KLYUCHI area centers on the identification of possible installations affecting guided missiles either in regard to impact, as is the predominant expectation, or as regards launch, which is a possibility but at the moment given less credence. The items of interest which are shown on the overlay, it will be noted, are roughly in the shape of a triangle, and it is emphasized that KLYUCHI, the handle whereby we speak of the area, should not be misconstrued as a pinpoint target.

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3. Coverage of PETROPAVLOVSK is desirable but of lower priority than the KLYUCHI area.

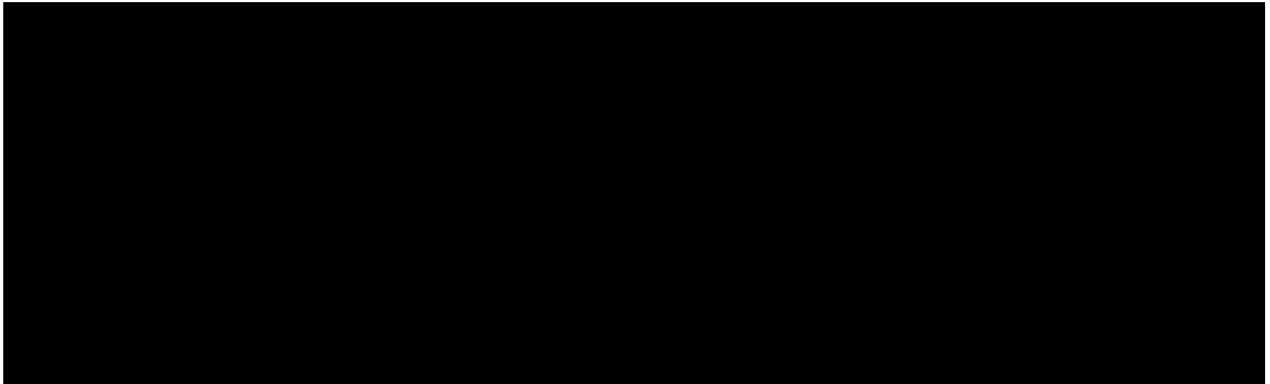
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5. The Ad Hoc Requirements Committee calls attention to the fact that, while proposed collection in the KLYUCHI area can be of important significance it will be of much greater significance if such information can be coordinated with that produced from missions over KAPUSTIN YAR or the KYZL ORDA area. This will be so unless it is confirmed that KLYUCHI is a launch area, in which case KYZL ORDA area may decrease in importance since in all likelihood it would be an impact area.

JAMES Q. REBER  
Chairman  
Ad Hoc Requirements Committee

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